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CABLE NEWS

Amsterdam.—German sailors mutinied at Ostend refusing to man submarines.

Petrograd.—In another engagement in the Gulf of Riga between the Germans and Russians the Russian battleship Salava was sunk.

Washington.—Hoover made public today figures on the German weekly food ration. The supply falls below the amount required to maintain bodily efficiency.

Seattle.—The City of Seattle sailed at 10 a.m. Wednesday. Wrangell passengers: Emery Kimm, W. Hansnean, Elma Robinson.

Seattle.—Jefferson sailed this morning at nine. Wrangell passengers: Mrs. Alice Kennedy, Miss Elsie Moore, Lewis Ford. The Admiral Watson and the Alameda both sailed north this afternoon.

Washington, October 17.—The demand for silver coins is so great that every mint in the country has been placed on a twenty-four hour a day basis to meet it. Never before in the history of the country has this been necessary.

Seattle, Oct. 15.—Fifteen vessels owned by the Alaska Steamship company and the Pacific Steamship company (half Alaska service) were taken over at noon today by the U. S. government. The companies will continue to operate temporarily.

Seattle, Oct. 15.—The Alaska Steamship company has sold the Dolphin to Chilean interests. The vessels will be taken over by the new owners tomorrow.

New York, Oct. 15.—Chicago wins world series.

Kansas City, Oct. 16.—Ten thousand cattle and two thousand hogs burned in the stock yards here today.

Seattle, Oct. 16.—Police say that more whiskey is being smuggled into Seattle from Alaska than from California. A big haul of booze was secured when the Alameda arrived here. Half a dozen members of the crew were arrested.

Stockholm, Oct. 17.—Willet Charles Smith, an American who was captured by the raider Mewe and imprisoned at Lubeck, Germany, escaped and arrived here this morning. He had been six days without water.

Seattle, Oct. 17.—The steamship Dolphin was taken over by its new owners today. It will probably sail for Chili via San Francisco tomorrow night.

Washington, Oct. 16.—Billion subscribed to date on Second Liberty loan.

SCHOTT-GREELY

Announcement of the marriage of Miss Clyda Schott to Mr. Donnell Greely was received in Wrangell this week. The announcement is as follows:

MR. AND MRS. LOUIS SCHOTT announce the marriage of their daughter
CLYDA LOIS

to

MR. DONNELL GREELEY on Saturday, the sixth of October nineteen hundred and seventeen Oakland, California.

The bride has a wide circle of friends in Alaska, especially in Wrangell, who wish her a long honeymoon.

OF LOCAL INTEREST

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Harrison who have been on a big game hunt in the Cassiar district arrived in Wrangell on the Hazel B III Saturday. They will leave on the Princess Alice tomorrow night for their home in San Francisco. On the hunt Mr. Harrison bagged two moose, three caribou, one goat, three sheep and one grizzly. On a special Stone Sheep permit Mr. Harrison obtained for the California Academy of Science two rams, two ewes, and one lamb. Mrs. Harrison bagged two moose and three caribou. The Harrisons are so well pleased with their hunt in the Cassiar that they are coming back next year, and already have their guides engaged. Mr. Harrison is the San Francisco distributor for the Hudson Six

The Sentinel this morning received a cablegram of several hundred words from the Collector of Internal Revenue regarding the new war revenue act which will after November 1, 1917, impose a tax of one cent for each ten cents or fraction thereof of the amount paid for admission to any place. This tax is to be paid by the person paying for such admission. Those collecting the admission fees are required to collect the tax also, and to make monthly returns to the Collector of Internal Revenue.

Dr. W. J. Pigg returned Saturday from Ft. Seward at Haines where he took a physical examination and passed. He expects to receive notice any day to report somewhere for medical examination. Dr. Pigg hopes soon to get a commission in the regular army. He thinks it probable that he will leave Wrangell within the next three months.

The agricultural possibilities of the Wrangell district have been shown in many ways this year. It has been demonstrated by a number of local people that spuds not only thrive here but that the yield is of a superior quality. This week Adjutant H. C. Habkirk brought us several potatoes that weighed two pounds each which were raised on his place. Considering the H. C. of L. harvesting spuds in Wrangell is like panning gold nuggets.

Lawrence Horghiem and his sister, Miss Amanda Horghiem, left on the City of Seattle Friday for southern California where they will spend the winter. Lawrence has been in poor health of late and it is hoped that the sunshine of the southland will effect a complete recovery.

Mrs. W. Scott Simpson and son, Fred, and Mrs. Simpson's niece, Miss Lizzie Hankin, arrived from Telegraph Creek Saturday on the Hazel B III. They will take passage on the Princess Alice for Vancouver where they will spend the winter.

F. N. Fenton, mining engineer with the Dease Lake syndicate, and P. O. Earrel, superintendent for the same company, arrived in Wrangell Saturday on the Hazel B III. They will take passage on the Princess Alice for Victoria. Later Mr. Fenton will go to Seattle where he will spend the winter with his family.

Dr. J. Earl Evans of Tacoma who spent the summer rustinating in the vicinity of Wrangell, left for his home on the City of Seattle Saturday. Dr. Evans is a son of J. E. Evans who is connected with the Willson & Sylvester sawmill.



[Cablegram]
Territory of Alaska
By the Governor

You Are
Not Worth
Fighting For"

A PROCLAMATION

Whereas the President of the United States by proclamation has designated Wednesday October 24, 1917, as Liberty Day, and has made the afternoon of that day a holiday for all federal employees throughout the country whose services can be spared for the Liberty Bond campaign and Whereas the success of the Liberty Loan is so vital to the Nation that it is the first duty of every citizen to support to the utmost the financial measures essential to the effective and successful prosecution of the war and the observance of Liberty Day by the people of all the States and Territories of the Union should immeasurably stimulate the sale of Liberty Bonds the subscriptions to which will close October 27, 1917.

Now Therefore I, J. F. A. Strong governor of the Territory of Alaska, do in accordance with the proclamation of the President of the United States designate Wednesday, October 24, 1917, as Liberty day, and I do earnestly request that on the afternoon of that day all public offices, stores and all public places be closed and that the people of all towns and precincts so far as possible unite in some appropriate patriotic ceremony and demonstration to promote the success of the Liberty Loan, and I especially request that the mayors of all incorporated towns or local governing authorities do everything within their power in the way of cooperation in the celebration of Liberty Day to the end that nothing humanly possible shall be left undone in arousing the enthusiasm and support of the people of Alaska in the great struggle for the survival of Democracy in which our nation is engaged.

The people of Alaska are patriotic and their devotion to republican institutions has been proved by their acts many times and now they are expected to act well their part in the present grave crisis which confronts the nation. Lip service is of little avail in time of trouble. Action is needed, instant and complete, and the belief is expressed that our people will not fail it the great duty they now owe to the government which represents them in the conflict being waged between the forces of humanity and freedom against those of autocracy and oppression. Remember Liberty will not perish from the earth if Americans do their full duty.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Territory of Alaska in Juneau, the capital, this 17th day of October in the year of our Lord 1917, and of the independence of the United States the 142nd. J. F. A. STRONG, Governor.

as you live on any purchase not above \$5,000.

6. Market Value.—You can sell your bond or borrow on it on a moment's notice.

7. The Government Is No Richer than the people. We need the \$50 of the average man. All patriots must help.

London.—The Petrograd correspondent of the London Times says that anarchy is spreading throughout Russia—that in Petrograd alone the police are trying to cope with eighteen thousand criminals.

LAST TRIP OF
SEASON FOR
HAZEL B III

The Hazel B III arrived Saturday from Telegraph Creek on her last voyage of the year. During the past season the Hazel B III has maintained a regular schedule and has proved to be the most popular boat that has ever navigated the Stikine. The advent of Captain Sid Barrington on the Stikine has meant a great deal for Wrangell and the Cassiar district. When seen by the Sentinel reporter F. R. Sterling, the purser on the Hazel B III, stated that the boat would operate on the Stikine again next season, beginning as soon as the ice breaks. He said this season's business had been fair and that the outlook for next year is much better.

Secretary McAdoo on September 22 telegraphed Dr. Stockbridge asking that as president of the Farmers' National congress, the Atlanta man communicate with the executive heads of other Farmers' organizations to ask their cooperation in the coming loan. In replying Dr. Stockbridge accused the Secretary and the administration of favoring the McKeller amendment providing for an increase of second-rate postage rates. "We refuse to become a party to the crime" is the closing statement of Dr. Stockbridge's telegram.

Secretary McAdoo's telegram in reply follows:

"Your telegram received. I understand your position to be

that you will not assist the Government in selling the next Liberty Loan on the ground that the administration and I personally are supposed to favor the McKeller amendment, or the proposed increase in postal rates on second class mail matter which includes farm and other publications. As a matter of fact I am not in sympathy with this legislation and have said that I thought it had no place in the revenue bill, that this was an inopportune time to raise the issue and that it ought to be considered upon its merits in connection with postoffice legislation and not with revenue or Treasury matters.

"But even if I favored it, is that a reason why you should be unwilling to buy or assist in selling United States Government bonds. Is that a reason why you should refuse to lend money to your Government to enable it to supply the gallant sons of farmers and every other class of American citizens who have been drafted or who have volunteered

to give their lives to protect your liberty and property the necessary guns with which to fight; the necessary clothing and food to support them in the field; the necessary life insurance and means to support their dependent families while they are at the front?

"Have you a son who has volunteered or who has been drafted into this noble service? If so, would you fail to buy a Liberty Bond to help him fight and to save his country and to protect his own life because the rates on second class mail matter may be increased?

If you haven't a son you cannot feel what every mother and father of a gallant boy must feel when they see that boy go out to fight for his country.

"I am happy to believe that you speak for yourself alone and that you do not represent the sentiment of any other farmer in America.

"The gallant boys now going into training must fight for the safety and liberty and prosperity of every man, woman and child in America, you included. If you really entertain the sentiments you have expressed in your telegram it is a pity that these brave men must fight for you, because you are not worth fighting for.

"I withdraw my request for your assistance in the sale of government bonds. The patriotic people of America will sustain their gallant soldiers and carry this war on to victory without your aid."

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LOCAL TIDE TABLE

Thursday, October 18—
 First high tide 2:15 a.m. 15.0
 Second high tide 1:45 p.m. 17.0
 First low tide 7:49 a.m. 2.8
 Second low tide 8:16 p.m. -1.0

Friday, October 19—
 First high tide 2:37 a.m. 14.5
 Second high tide 2:18 p.m. 16.7
 First low tide 8:23 a.m. 3.5
 Second low tide 8:55 p.m. -0.5

Saturday, October 20—
 First high tide 3:17 a.m. 13.8
 Second high tide 2:57 p.m. 16.2
 First low tide 9:02 a.m. 4.2
 Second low tide 9:40 p.m. 6.1

Sunday, October 21—
 First high tide 4:04 a.m. 13.2
 Second high tide 3:43 p.m. 15.4
 First low tide 9:48 a.m. 5.1
 Second low tide 10:33 p.m. 0.9

Monday, October 22—
 First high tide 5:02 a.m. 12.6
 Second high tide 4:42 p.m. 14.5
 First low tide 10:46 p.m. 5.7
 Second low tide 11:38 p.m. 1.5

Tuesday, October 23—
 First high tide 6:12 a.m. 12.6
 Second high tide 6:00 p.m. 13.8
 First low tide 12:04 a.m. 5.9

Wednesday, October 24—
 First high tide 7:26 a.m. 13.2
 Second high tide 7:28 p.m. 13.7
 First low tide 0:53 a.m. 1.9
 Second low tide 1:27 p.m. 5.2

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HON. P. C. McCORMACK**

Editor Sentinel:

My attention has been directed to an editorial in the Petersburg Report of September 7, entitled, "Some Juneau Explaining" regarding the act of the last Legislature permitting Territorial road funds to be expended for waterway improvements, and quoting the Juneau Dispatch as stating that the bill was introduced in the Senate by Senator Heckman at the request of Representatives Monte Benson and P. C. McCormack.

I wish to state that in so far as my name is concerned the statement is incorrect and misleading. The measure was passed in the Senate without my knowledge. The first intimation I had of its existence was when it came up for the first reading in the House, after its passage in the Senate. In view of these facts I fail to understand how the Dispatch could or should connect my name with any activity as to fostering the measure.

Regarding the merits or demerits of the bill and my attitude as to its passage, I will state that I considered such a course dangerous in that it might lead to willful abuse in the use of the road funds as originally intended. And for

that reason I raised an objection in the committee. But upon investigation I found that the measure would afford relief to a great many settlers adjacent to Juneau and the Channel towns who had to go a long way to reach their destination and were also subjected to the great danger attending the longer passage. I also realized that the greater percentage of the population of this division is centered upon Gastineau channel. And for these reasons I felt that these settlers were entitled to the relief asked for in so far as the improvement and dredging of Gastineau channel was concerned. At the time I was assured that the cost would not exceed \$15,000 or \$20,000.

In view of the conditions as above stated, and realizing the necessity for the improvement, I did not press my objection in this connection. While I do not altogether approve of the diverting of funds intended for certain purposes to other uses I will state that in so far as the question involved is concerned I feel that under similar circumstances and conditions should any other section of the division be interested the Legislature would be justified in taking similar action, but that such action should be specific as to actual work intended for certain improvement, and the expenditure should be limited so as not to interfere with needed improvement required in the different other sections of the division.

With reference to the statement of the Dispatch as to the possible improvement of Hawk Inlet under the provisions of said act I will admit that such action would be possible, or others that might be urged, owing to the fact that the act as passed was general instead of specific. However, I feel satisfied from the personnel of the Board of Road commissioners that they will see that all sections of the division will be accorded fair treatment. Their mode of action may seem dilatory, yet we must admit that a new measure of this kind requires considerable preliminary work before much actual progress can be made. I anticipate general activity the coming year on all road work actually necessary.

In justice to myself, owing to the fact that the article in question reflected upon my action as representing the interests of my constituents, and also the fact that the article in question required an explanation from the representative of the southern end of the division, I trust that I have made myself clear in this matter and that you will give this letter space in your paper.

In conclusion, I will state that I was absent from the Territory

when the article in question appeared, and I did not know that such an article had been published until this week when I was handed a copy of the paper containing the article, hence my delay in complying with the request for an explanation until this late date.

Respectfully,
P. C. McCormack.**BAFFLING PROBLEMS.**

**Poses That Man's Brain Has Never
Been Able to Conquer.**

For the man to whom the mysterious appeals there is no lack of problems which have baffled the cleverest brains for generations and in many cases for long centuries and still remain as far from solution as ever.

If he is mathematically inclined he can win immortal fame by solving the problem of how to "square the circle." The cleverest brains of all ages and countries have wrestled in vain to discover exactly the relation between the circumference and the diameter of a circle.

One Dutch professor gave nearly fifty years of his life to the task. He worked out the equation to over 700 places of decimals and was then little nearer the end of his calculations than when he began.

No less elusive is the square root of two. Thousands of years in the aggregate have been spent in endeavoring to make this calculation. It has been worked out to 111 places of decimals by one enthusiast, but the exact square root remains and probably always will remain unfound.

Ever since the days of the pharaonic scientists have been searching for the secret of changing base metals into gold, but the "philosopher's stone" has always proved will-o'-the-wisp in its tantalizing elusiveness, and, although Edison declared the day of its discovery was drawing near, it still seems as remote as ever.

Countless men, too, have been driven to despair and almost to insanity in their efforts to discover perpetual motion, and the man who finds its secret will certainly win a fame greater than that of Newton himself.

Among historical questions to which the world has vainly sought an answer are the following: What was the real fate of Louis XVII of France, the boy who is said to have been buried in the temple prison? Was the Chevalier d'Éon man or woman? Was Louis Philippe, king of the French, son of the Duke d'Orléans or of an Italian policeman? Is the Austrian Archduke Johann Orth, who is said to have died in 1900, still alive, as so many believe?—Philadelphia Ledger.

Proverbs of Savages.

The proverbs of savages are shrewd and pithy. The Basutos say, "The thief catches himself;" the Verubus, "He who injures another injures himself;" the Wolofs, "Before healing others heal yourself." In Accra they say, "Nobody is twice a fool;" among the Ojib, "The moon does not grow full in a day;" "The poor man has no friends." A Pasho proverb says, "A feather does not stick without gum." Others are, "A razor cannot shave itself," "Cross the river before you abuse the crocodile," "Perseverance always triumphs," "The thread follows the needle," and "Preparation is better than afterthought."—Westminster Gazette.

Daniel Was a Worker.

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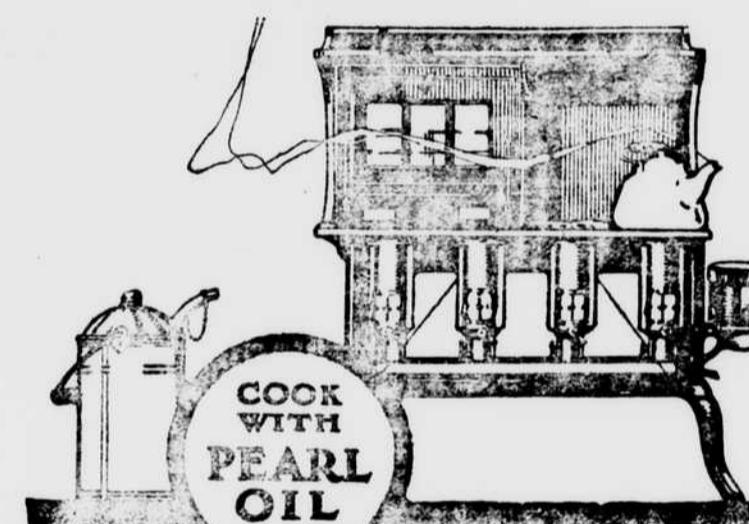
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A MENTAL MYSTERY

By ALAN HINSDALE

We have become used to an electric station sending forth its power across a continent or an ocean without any other medium than the atmosphere, but few of us are prepared to admit that one human brain is capable of affecting another human brain without any other medium than that of the wireless telephone.

Nevertheless, there are instances of such communication.

I believe that there is a mental force not yet explained scientifically that carries these messages, and I am going to give the reason why I have arrived at this conclusion.

I am an artist. From a child I have been absorbed in the beauties of nature and their transmission to another form. As a boy I could make these transformations so successfully that my pictures attracted the attention of my friends. Nothing would do but that I must be educated for an artist.

But there was no means for the purpose. A younger sister of mine had been left a small legacy by her grandmother. My sister—Eleanor was her name—insisted on devoting this money to my education. I declined to accept it at first, but she insisted that I would be a successful artist, my pictures would sell at good prices, and I could repay her. Thus encouraged, I consented and entered an art school.

Unfortunately my education took from me the ability I had shown in freehand drawing. The technique required for work that would pass the critics was obnoxious to me. Nevertheless, I persevered and mastered it. But I never regained the ability I had possessed to hit off something that indicated genius.

I spent several years after being graduated at the art school painting pictures, which were no better than hundreds of other artists could paint. I regretted that I had accepted my sister's loan, for I was scarcely able to make enough money to keep body and soul together, to say nothing of paying what I had borrowed.

One winter I broke down in health and in the spring was told I must have change of scene and air to build up my strength. In my weakened condition my debt to my sister got on my mind, and I could not get it off. Eleanor begged me to stop worrying about it, but without success. I was sent off to the seashore and lodged in a fisherman's cottage.

One morning I was sitting on the porch of the cottage looking out on the ocean. The sun was glinting the blue waves which were rolling in and breaking on the beach. Some fishermen were getting out their boat, gulls were flying higher and higher overhead, one occasionally darting down to pounce upon a fish. I was seized with a desire—natural to an artist—to portray this scene.

I had not been permitted to bring my artist's tools with me, so I could not do as I wished. As I sat in my comfortable wicker chair, fanned by a balmie sea breeze, I began to work over an imaginary canvas, laying down on it the view before me. The picture grew in my mind as plainly as if I were really putting it on canvas. I worked without effort—or at least seemed to do so—and was conscious of transferring the scene before me exactly as it was without the loss of any of its subtle beauties.

Nevertheless there must have been a severe mental effort, for as soon as I had finished my imaginary or mental work I lost consciousness and knew nothing till late in the afternoon, when I found myself in bed.

It was some time before I gained sufficient strength to go home. When I returned my sister told me that there was no further necessity for me to worry about my debt to her, for it had been paid. I asked her who had paid it, and she said that I had paid it myself. Further than that she would give me no information until I had fully recovered.

One day after I had got stronger I went, unknown to any one, to a room at home that I had used for a studio. There was a desk in it, and, going to this desk without any definite object, I noticed a pigeonhole that had been empty was now full of papers. I took them out and found they were letters that had accumulated during my illness. I opened one and read it. It was from a dealer in pictures asking me if I had any of my work for sale. He had a constant demand for it. Astonished, I opened another and another. They were all requests for my pictures.

While I was thus engaged my sister came in. She seemed much put out that I had come upon the letters. But the explanation must now come out, and she gave it to me.

One morning while I was at the seashore she had come into my studio and something, she knew not what, had prompted her to sit down before my easel, take my implements and begin to sketch. She had no ability whatever as an artist and was astonished to see a marine view grow on the canvas. Nevertheless, when she had finished she had no idea that she had produced a marvelous picture.

Her production was admired, and, attaching my name to it, she took it to a dealer, who sold it for \$10,000. I went to see the painting, and what was my amazement to see that it was the scene I had mentally painted while at the fisherman's cottage I had painted it with the freehand excellence of my youth, and yet it was a finished picture.

"THESE MEN MUST HAVE OUR BEST"

Chairman Davison's Appeal For \$100,000.00 For the Red Cross.

In his remarkable appeal for \$100,000.00 Henry P. Davison, chairman of the Red Cross War Council, said in part:

"We ask for \$100,000.00. It is a large sum of money; but, believe me, the people of this country are not only willing to supply that one hundred million, but a very great deal more."

"Hundreds of American doctors and nurses are already at the front. A force of 12,000 American engineers will soon be rebuilding the railroads of France. Upward of 25,000 American men are now on the battlefields of Europe fighting as volunteers in the allied armies. Soon 25,000 American reg-

ments will be added to their number.

All our national guard is to be mobilized, our regular army is to be recruited to full strength, and 500,000 other men are shortly to be called to the colors. Within a few months we should and will have in service an army of 1,000,000 and a navy of 150,000 men. "These men must have of our best. To prepare against their needs in advance will be a stupendous task which the Red Cross must undertake. Doctors, nurses and ambulances must be made ready. Vast quantities of hospital stores, linen, bandages and supplies of every kind must be prepared, and once. If we wait it may be too late. When we ask our own sons and brothers to fight for our liberty 3,500 miles from home in a country already sore and afflicted, surely we cannot do less than prepare to take care of them in their day of suffering."

Red Cross at the Front
This photograph shows only part of the nurses, surgeons, etc., of Presbyterian base hospital unit No. 2, now

in Europe for war service. This unit includes 25 surgeons, 50 nurses and administrative staff of more than 100 orderlies, chauffeurs, cooks, mechanics, etc.

We are separated from the actual scene of this conflict by thousands of miles of sea. Our losses in it have as yet been minor. We are entering the war in the firm belief and purpose of ending it in a victory for right, and we have not the slightest intention of stopping until that victory is achieved."

I think if anybody would ask me how much he ought to give to the Red Cross at this time I would say, "All you have." That is counsel of perfection. I know, but then it would not be enough. I understand the war council has set itself the task of raising \$100,000,000. That may sound to some like a large amount, and yet this war is costing us actual money every day from \$60,000,000 to \$70,000,000 and in human life from 10,000 to 15,000 of those who are killed in actual warfare, without counting those who starve and die of disease.

The Red Cross of the United States of America has set itself the great task of raising for, one might say, cosmic philanthropy, a sum equal to the destruction which the war entails in a day.—Newton D. Baker.

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OF LOCAL INTEREST

Darby Choquette returned this week from a trip to the States.

Jess Platter is now dispensing wet goods for A. Lemieux.

Jack Kelly, is now the night guard at the jail.

For Sale—Piano. Inquire of Mrs. S. C. Shurick.

A. W. Crawford was a visitor to Ketchikan this week.

Considerable repair work has been done on the dock recently.

The Arctic Brotherhood will meet at 7:30 o'clock each Wednesday evening in the future.

Have your watch repaired at George Cowan's, opposite the Wrangell hotel bar.

Sing Lee, formerly a merchant of Wrangell was in Wrangell the first of the week.

Art Thomas who recently had his leg broken, left on the City of Seattle Friday for Minneapolis.

R. L. Cole, owner of the cannery at Deweyville, was a southbound passenger on the Princess Sophia.

Miss Katherine Harvey of Hattie Camp is the guest of her friend, Miss Helen Hofstad.

Miss Fram, Wm. Rivett, and L. French were passengers to Seattle on the City of Seattle Friday.

For Sale—Two room cottage nicely furnished. Inquire of Oscar Carlson.

Paul Owens went to Petersburg on the Spokane Monday night. He will spend the winter at Seow bay.

Frank Coulter left on the Jefferson Saturday for Seattle. He was en route to Minneapolis.

C. E. McKinney left on the City of Seattle last Friday for Seattle. He was en route to Vancouver, Wash.

For the shave and haircut of satisfaction, go to Ed Grigwire's shop, opposite drug store.

Miss Margaret Blake left on the Jefferson Saturday for Port Townsend.

Wm. Lewis, who spent the past several weeks fishing on Chilomondly sound, came home this week for the winter.

A. W. Wilson a cannery man from Red Bluff bay was in Wrangell the last of the week.

Don't forget the Red Cross home cooking sale Saturday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock at the town hall.

F. J. Tromble and H. A. Thurlow arrived on the Uncle Dan yesterday from Craig. They will leave tomorrow on a trip to the States.

Mayor and Mrs. F. Matheson sailed south on the Princess Alice Friday night. They were en route to Eastern cities. They will be away about six weeks.

C. E. Crider, travelling agent of the Wells Fargo Co. was in Wrangell the first of the week checking up the local office.

The ladies of the Catholic church will give a Hallowe'en social on the evening of Wednesday, October 31.

Mrs. J. G. Bjorge and babe and Master Raymond Bjorge were passengers southbound on the Princess Sophia Friday night. They were en route to California.

Ed Grigwire's dandruff treatment is the best on the market Try it and be convinced.

Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Brown and Miss Francis Holtham were southbound passengers on the City of Seattle Friday. They were en route to Pasadena.

Stikine Tribe No. 5, Improved Order of Redmen will give a smoker at the Redmen's hall Tuesday evening.

Louis Paul who has spent the summer in the Wrangell vicinity left Monday night on the Spokane for Juneau where he will spend some time. Mr. Paul is a son of Mrs. Wm. Tamaree.

Don't let Saturday afternoon slip by without visiting the sale of home cooked foods by the Red Cross at the town hall, beginning at 3 o'clock.

At the meeting of the Moose Lodge Friday evening the following candidates received the second degree: Captain Knig Johansen, Conrad Anderson, Weston Dalgit, Louis Lemieux, Ned Lemieux. Following the initiations there was a smoker and an athletic exhibition.

Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Burnet and daughter sailed south on the Princess Sophia Friday night. They were en route to Bellinham. Mr. and Mrs. Burnet will be greatly missed from the social life of Wrangell.

The last legislature increased the bounty on wolves to \$15. Now is a good time to get some of this bounty money.

George A. Mitchell arrived from Craig on the Uncle Dan.

Mrs. Ralph Hall returned this week from Juneau where she had an operation performed by Dr. L. P. Dawes.

Mrs. C. A. Emery and daughter returned on the Berlin this week from Craig where they spent the past three months.

The play shed which the town council ordered built on the schoolground is now in course of construction. H. D. Campbell is in charge of the work.

The handsome new Richmond mahogany case piano raffled at the Photoshow by C. G. Burnet last Thursday night was won by George Cowan, the local jeweler. The drawing was conducted on the stage in front of the screen. Little May Goodrich did the drawing. The lucky number was 177.

Lady Barrington Dead

The Herald, of North Sydney, Nova Scotia, of a recent date, contains the news of the death of Lady Matilda Barrington, wife of Sir Yorke Barrington, uncle of Captain Syd Barrington and Captain Hill Barrington. Sir Yorke was a brother of the father of the two Northland captains.

The Swiss Reformation

St. Philip's Church, Sunday Oct. 21, 7:30 P.M.

The Swiss Reformation was contemporary with the German Reformation but not a result of it, though it was influenced by it. The Reformation had spread over Switzerland when John Calvin, having been driven out of France by persecution went to Geneva to teach school.

The Revivalist John Farrel caused Calvin to give up his plan as a teacher and take charge of the church in Geneva. Calvin did so. He found Geneva the most immoral city in Europe and left it the most moral.

In the lecture, it will be shown how an accident kept the Swiss church from becoming Episcopal instead of Presbyterian.

More should attend these lectures that they may better appreciate what the Christianity of today cost, and not let indifference, the sin of the age, destroy it and lead the world back to paganism.

Ladies' visiting cards neatly printed at the Wrangell Sentinel.

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Presbyterian Church.

The conduct of the human race is governed largely by their thinking or lack of thinking along certain lines. For the Sunday evening service at the Presbyterian Church the subject will be "What think ye of Christ?" Matt. 22:42. Come and take part in the service. Help with the songs.

Card of Thanks.

I cannot leave Wrangell without expressing the gratitude that is in my heart for the unusual and unexpected things that have been done for me since I had the misfortune of getting my leg broken. I shall remember the good people of Wrangell as long as I live.

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The Common Council will meet as follows, as an Equalization Board:

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